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THE EVENING BANNER BENNINGTON - VERMONT

Wednesday, February 9, 1916.

THE WHITE HOUSE

Its Architectural Restoration by
Charles Follen McKim.

VAST CHANGES WERE MADE.

The Interior Was Practically Remade,
and the Greatest Care Was Bestowed
Upon Even the Minute Details—A
Criticism and a Story.

The White House, the work of the architect James Hoban, begun by the British in 1792 and restored and completed by Hoban about 1830, remained with little change in its condition until about 1865. From this period until the administration of Theodore Roosevelt there were constant changes in the interior, made on authority of the presidential resident, which destroyed the fitness and dignity of this beautiful building.

Roosevelt soon after he became president selected Charles Follen McKim to restore instead of to enlarge the building.

McKim gave his whole attention to design, from the broadest principles controlling the relations and unity between the larger elements of halls and rooms down to the minutest details of mantels, stucco ornaments and lighting fixtures.

The broad principles of the work consisted in restoring the terrace on the east, removed during Grant's administration; removing the green-houses and propagating beds, removing the president's public offices from the residence to a separate structure, restoring the interior from the ground to the roof and refurnishing the principal floor.

While McKim was maturing his designs and the drawings were being made the building as it existed from the ground to the roof was being torn out, leaving only the walls, windows and upper doors.

As the work progressed McKim gave his attention as it went into place. He did not hesitate, although the time was so limited, to alter or change details which he found did not appear just as he had expected.

This seeking the best results was well illustrated in finishing the private dining room. The molded panels and cornices of this room McKim thought were too coarse in scale when he saw them on the wall. He had portions of them made more delicate. New moldings were made and put up, then others, until he finally selected these most appropriate.

The new moldings threw cornice ornaments and the center out of scale, and these had to be removed and others secured after several trials before he was satisfied with the room as a harmonious composition.

It was necessary to build a structure for the public office separate from the residence. McKim determined to place this at the end of the west terrace, making it one story in height, no higher than the terrace, thus making it in every way subordinate to the main building. While he considered it a temporary building, it contained all the office rooms needed for the conduct of the president's business. McKim's home was that an adequate office building, with stately apartments, for diplomatic and other functions might be built some time in the near future facing the capitol at the executive mansion end of the avenue, thus restoring the original idea of reciprocity of sight between the executive and legislative branches of the government.

This one story office building was much ridiculed because it did not compete with the White House and was so simple in its design.

At a private dinner in Washington, among some down guests, McKim and a government official were present.



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The official began to belittle and to ridicule the office building of the president. McKim said:

"The conversation reminds me of an afternoon in St. Gaudens' studio some years ago. The wonderful statue of Harriet, just finished, was on exhibition, and a lady handsomely dressed and stately in carriage came in. I retired, and St. Gaudens carried her in to see the statue. After a short time St. Gaudens returned with a cheerful countenance and smiling merrily. I said, 'Well, Gus, I know she must have been pleased with the statue, as you are so gay.' 'No,' he said, 'she did not like it. If she had I would have known it was bad.'"

A broad smile ran around the table. The official stiffened up, but finally gave way and joined in the laugh. McKim's religious, good taste, keen appreciation of the beauty of the old White House, together with his long study of Italian and of the Georgian adaptation of Italian renaissance, made him the ideal man for his restoration again into a dignified nation—Glen Brown in Architectural Record.

Henry Vinegar. Vinegar made a honey has his exceptionally fine and is not expensive. A small amount of honey furnishes a large amount of flavor. Follow these directions: Boil thoroughly in two quarts of water, add water one quart, or add honey. Give it air and heat in a warm place, when it will become and make excellent vinegar. Vinegar of Antiquity.

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A SUNNY TEMPER.

A sunny temper is a talisman more powerful than wealth, more precious than rubies. If you wish to attract friends and to do your best work, keep your mind filled with sunshine, with beauty and truth, with cheerful and uplifting thoughts. Bury everything that makes you unhappy and discontent, everything that cramps your freedom and worries you. Bury it before it buries you. Adopt the sunnier motto, "I record none but hours of sunshine."

HELP FOR WORKING WOMEN

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"How did you come to it?" "I don't know, judge. For twenty years she ails was th' one who did th' beatin', but I jes' happened to catch her when she wasn't feelin' right."—Case and Comment.

Hardly Polit.

"Don't you think the baby favors his father?" "Him! Looks like him, but I wouldn't call it a favor."—Baltimore American.

The making of friends who are real friends is the best token of a man's success in life.—E. E. Hale.

NORTH BENNINGTON

Leon Spencer of the University of Vermont, is spending a few days at his home here. During his short vacation he has visited college friends at North University, Northfield and Middlebury college.

A meeting of the Bennington County Medical society was held at the office of Dr. J. B. Woodhull, Friday afternoon, Feb. 4. Dr. Smith of Rutland was the speaker.

John Wolfe, night watchman at the Payne mirror shop, cut one of his hands quite badly Monday night, while attempting to dust some of the machinery while it was in motion.

The men's class of the Congregational church will meet with Clarence White this evening.

All will be welcome to attend the card party to be given in Village Hall Friday evening of this week by the Ladies' of St. John the Baptist church.

W. R. Mattison is on a two weeks' business trip through Connecticut, including Boston on his return.

The Royal male quartette was greeted by a full house at Bank hall last night. They gave one of the finest entertainments of the course, and proved themselves to be artists in their line.

The following sketch entitled "A Christian Hero," is taken from the December number of the "Bulletin," published by the Gordon Bible Institute, Boston, Mass., and will be of interest to many of the Banner readers in North Bennington and vicinity, as Mr. Britt occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church in the summer of 1913 during the absence of the pastor on a trip abroad. "No brighter or stronger life has ever gone out from Gordon than that of Joseph M. Britt, and no greater loss has come among Gordon men than his early death. It is seldom that such a rare balance of qualities is found in such a young man. The writer, who has known hundreds of seminary and college men, has never known among them a finer grouping than his of simple manliness, intellectual penetration, capacity for hard work, an inner life in its purity and depth more like that of a mature saint than a young man, quiet modesty, and a vigor of action and a natural dignity of bearing which gave him an almost leadership wherever he went. When Joseph Britt came to Gordon, he had gotten by hard work a good education, a fine business position and wide usefulness in church life. He proved himself at once and all the time a thorough student. His work in the class room was of the highest type. He was from the start an original thinker. He developed a rare gift of speech, a current of thought and word bright, deep and spontaneous, a natural vividness, and an ease of unstudied humor or pathos, which promised large things. This, with his naturally commanding appearance, would have been enough for

many young men. But instead of depending on his natural gifts, he put from the first a most intense and careful preparation into his public addresses. His power over boys and young men was magical. It was shown notably in his command, for five years, of the large Boys' Brigade in Arlington. It is characteristic of him that he made his company for three successive years the banner company, in competition of the fifty companies of Massachusetts. Seldom does any young man so rip a thoughtful and active community, from the youngest to the oldest as he gripped Warner, N. H., the scene of his only pastorate. He found large success. All denominations loved him. Strong, thoughtful congregations and many conversions attended his preaching. A leading man of his church wrote of him: "He seemed to live nearer the Master, and to exemplify more in his walk and conversation the Christ he preached, than any man I ever knew. His sermons left the impression of careful thought and study. His evening sermons were more Evangelical, but he always closed with an appeal to the unconverted. The town will be a better place to live in, and a better place to die in, for having known Joseph Britt." Deep sorrow came to him also. His only sister, near his own age, as brilliant in mind as she was beautiful in feature and devoted to him as he was to her, died at his parsonage. He already was suffering with the same disease, which made the latter part of his brief pastorate a long and unspoken fight against weakness and pain; a fight unknown to those who saw him always cheerful, serene and vigorous. Life deepened rapidly with him under these conditions. The wearing away of the

outer life was working within an eternal weight of glory. His private journal, faithfully kept, reads in some of its intimate pages like the journal of David Brainerd. He continued his work, often in great pain, until the very end. On July 17th he died, at the age of twenty-seven. On the day of his funeral all business was stopped in the whole region. The entire community mourned him. Gordon men, and indeed all who knew him, loved Joseph Britt. Gordon is proud of him, a Christian hero a true preacher. His brief life is an inspiration to hundreds of young men. He showed what Jesus Christ can do to make a young man's life bright, lovable and strong. It was felt by those who are best able to judge of those things and who knew him and his work, that great future eminence lay before him. It has come, but in another life."

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Crackers, per lb..... 7c	Fancy Creamery Butter, per lb..... 32c
Fig Cookies, per lb..... 10c	Potatoes, per peck..... 25c
California Shoulder Hams, per lb..... 12c	Fancy Northern Spy Apples, per peck..... 25c
Swift's Bacon, per lb. 18c	Kerosene, 5 gals. for..... 50c
Swift's Premium Oleomargarine, per lb..... 22c	Salt Pork, per lb..... 11c
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